

Further misbranding, Section 502 (e) (2), the article contained digitalis and strychnine, and its label failed to reveal the presence and proportion of these ingredients.

DISPOSITION: November 21, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

3894. Misbranding of barley cereal and honey. U. S. v. 64 Boxes, etc. (F. D. C. No. 33272. Sample Nos. 36966-L, 36967-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 27, 1952, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 6, 1951, and January 25, 1952, from Paterson, N. J., and Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 64 16-ounce boxes of *barley cereal* and 26 5-ounce jars and 18 1-pound jars of *honey* at New York, N. Y., in possession of Lust's Health Food Bakery, Inc.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The articles were shipped in bulk, and upon receipt by the consignee, they were repacked and relabeled.

LABEL, IN PART: (Box) "Lust's Old Fashion Barley Health Cereal"; (jar) "Pure Nature-Sweet Orange Blossom Honey."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the labels of the articles were false and misleading. The statements represented and suggested that the *barley cereal* was effective to make pure blood, to aid digestion, insure sleep, promote health, cure sickness, and prevent nervousness and sleeplessness, and that the *honey* was effective in building blood. The articles were not effective for such purposes. They were misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

The articles were alleged also to be misbranded under the provisions of the law applicable to foods, as reported in notices of judgment on foods.

DISPOSITION: October 2, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the articles be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration and that the remainder be destroyed.

3895. Misbranding of cough syrup. U. S. v. 24 Dozen Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33463. Sample No. 8450-L.)

LIBEL FILED: July 15, 1952, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 16, 1952, by the Aetna Chemical Co., from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: 24 dozen 8-ounce bottles of *cough syrup* at Farrell, Pa. Examination showed that the product contained 106.5 U. S. P. units of vitamin A and 7.5 U. S. P. units of vitamin D per teaspoonful. U. S. P. cod liver oil contains in each teaspoonful not less than 3,900 U. S. P. units of vitamin A and not less than 390 U. S. P. units of vitamin D.

LABEL, IN PART: "Greenstone's Cough Syrup * * * With Cod Liver Oil Concentrate."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "With Cod Liver Oil Concentrate" and the picture of a fish on the label were misleading since the product provided but a small fraction of the therapeutic dose of cod liver oil, as shown by its vitamins A and D content.

DISPOSITION: November 21, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution.